

No. 16

AN ACT

To amend sections ten, fourteen and fifteen of the act, approved the thirty-first day of July, one thousand nine hundred forty-one (Pamphlet Laws 616), entitled "An act defining, regulating and providing for the licensing and registration of employment agents, and their representatives, including private employment agents, theatrical employment agencies and nurses' registries; providing for revocation and suspension of licenses and registrations subject to appeal and for their reinstatement; defining the powers and duties of the Department of Labor and Industry and the Department of Public Instruction; providing penalties, and repealing existing laws," by increasing certain fees.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. Sections ten, fourteen and fifteen of the act, approved the thirty-first day of July, one thousand nine hundred forty-one (Pamphlet Laws 616), entitled "An act defining, regulating and providing for the licensing and registration of employment agents, and their representatives, including private employment agents, theatrical employment agencies and nurses' registries; providing for revocation and suspension of licenses and registrations subject to appeal and for their reinstatement; defining the powers and duties of the Department of Labor and Industry and the Department of Public Instruction; providing penalties, and repealing existing laws," are hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 10. No person shall open, keep or carry on any employment agency in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania unless every such person shall have paid to the department a license fee as follows:

(1) For licenses to be known as class "A" licenses and which shall be required by all employment agents who confine their operations to persons listed as metal and metal products workers, mine and quarry workers, clay, glass and stone products workers, iron workers, clothing workers, textile workers, food and kindred products workers, leather, rubber and composition goods workers, lumber, woodwork and furniture workers, paper and printing workers, unskilled and common laborers, hotel and restaurant help, domestic and industrial help of all kinds, the sum of [one hundred (\$100) dollars] *one hundred fifty dollars (\$150)*.

(2) For licenses to be known as class "B" licenses and which shall be required by all employment agents known as professional or technical and who confine their operations to nurses, teachers, advertising managers, bookkeepers and accountants, cashiers, chemists, draftsmen, surveyors, and transit men, engineers, salesmen and

"Employment Agency Law."

Sections 10, 14 and 15, act of July 31, 1941, P. L. 616, amended.

Schedule of license fees.

Class "A" licenses.

Class "B" licenses.

solicitors, superintendents and foremen, traffic managers, agricultural experts, chemical workers, explosive workers, auto mechanics and garage workers, chauffeurs and truck drivers, aircraft workers, inspectors, telegraph operators, telephone operators, station employes, shipping and stock clerks, store managers, beauticians, stenographers and typists, linotype operators, printers and compositors, proofreaders, office clerks, timekeepers, tobacco workers and traders and all other similar occupations not listed under clause (1) of this section, the sum of [one hundred (\$100) dollars] *one hundred fifty dollars (\$150)*.

Class "C"
licenses.

(3) For licenses to be known as class "C" licenses and which shall be required by all employment agencies known as theatrical employment agencies and who confine their operations to actors, actresses, musicians and performers of all kinds, the sum of [one hundred (\$100) dollars] *one hundred fifty dollars (\$150)*.

Solicitation of
labor for employ-
ment outside
Commonwealth.

Section 14. No person shall enter this Commonwealth and attempt to hire, induce, solicit or take from this Commonwealth any labor, singly or in groups, for any purpose without first filing in the office of the department a statement as to where the labor is to be taken, for what purpose, for what length of time, and whether transportation is to be paid to and from destination, if temporary, also a statement of the financial standing of the company desiring the labor and an affidavit of authority to represent such company in this Commonwealth, and such other information as the department may require.

Statement to be
filed.

Department of
Labor and Indus-
try to determine
need for license.

The department shall thereupon determine whether the person desiring such labor from this Commonwealth is an employment agent and, if so, whether such person is qualified to be licensed under this act. After such investigation the department may refuse to license or may grant a license upon compliance with the provisions of this act. Such person shall in the event of unfavorable action by the department have the right of appeal as in other cases under this act. If such person shall be exempted from license he shall pay for registration a fee of [five (\$5.00) dollars] *ten dollars (\$10.00)* and receive therefor from the department a certificate recognizing his right to do business in this Commonwealth.

Representatives
of employment
agencies to be
licensed.

Section 15. It shall be unlawful for any person to act or assume to act as the representative of any employment agency without first obtaining a license as such representative from the department. It shall be unlawful for any person to engage in, operate or carry on the business of an employment agency unless each representative of such agency is a licensed employment representative.

Every person who desires to obtain a license as employment representative shall apply therefor to the department in writing upon application blanks prepared and furnished by the department. Each application shall set forth such information as the department may require and shall be accompanied by the affidavits of two persons of business or professional integrity residing in the city, borough, town or township wherein the applicant resides. Such affiants shall state that they have known the applicant for a period of two years and that the applicant is a person of good moral character.

Application.

Content.

The department may require such other proof as to the honesty, truthfulness and integrity of the applicant as it deems necessary. If the applicant is shown to be honest, truthful and of known integrity, the department shall issue a license, which license shall set out the true name and address of the applicant, the name of the employment agent by which he is employed and such additional information as the department may prescribe. The license issued shall authorize the person named therein to act as a representative.

The department shall charge an annual fee of [five (\$5.00) dollars] *twenty-five dollars (\$25.00)* for issuing each such license, which fee shall be paid at the time application is made.

Annual fee.

APPROVED—The 22nd day of May, A. D. 1953.

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No. 17

AN ACT

To amend section nine of the act, approved the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred thirty-seven (Pamphlet Laws 2681), entitled "An act relating to, and regulating the manufacture, storing, and possession of explosives; requiring permits for magazines, and prescribing permit fees; and providing penalties," by increasing certain fees.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Explosives.

Section 1. Section nine of the act, approved the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred thirty-seven (Pamphlet Laws 2681), entitled "An act relating to, and regulating the manufacture, storing, and possession of explosives; requiring permits for magazines, and prescribing permit fees; and providing penalties," is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 9, act of July 1, 1937, P. L. 2681, amended.

Section 9. After January first, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight, every person storing or in

Magazines to be licensed.